The Northern Light

1949

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North Attleborough
High School

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FOREWORD

WE, the class of 1949, must now leave the familiar halls of North High. Our parting is with much regret, but we have the sure knowledge that a firm foundation has been laid for the future of each of us. We realize that our four years at this high school were not merely years for study but also for the development and enrichment of our characters and minds. Many thanks are owed by us to the Faculty of North Attleboro High School for their untiring efforts, though they may have seemed to be unappreciated, and we shall always remember the great part they have played in moulding our futures.

We shall always remember the thrill we felt when we saw our boys, wearing their red and white, run onto the field whether to win or lose. Always shall we prize the wonderful experiences we have had in the many extra-curricular activities that the school has offered to us. We are grateful for the many chances we have had during our four years to better ourselves and to become well-adjusted citizens of the world which we must now face unaided. We are also grateful that not once during our high school careers was the chance to speak our own ideas and criticisms denied to us. For these reasons we say, "Thank you, North High."

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DEDICATION

TO Miss Mary F. Talty, we the class of 1949 dedicate our yearbook, "The Northern Light", in the hope that we may express to her our heartfelt appreciation for her tireless efforts in her direction of our Senior Play. Her capable direction and wise guidance won for the play actors tremendous applause and much praise. For Miss Talty, who gave so much of herself and her time in presenting our play, we wish good fortune and hope the years of the future will hold many pleasant things in store for her. Furthermore, we sincerely hope these pages of "The Northern Light" will bring her both pleasure and enjoyment and will remind her again of the remarkable success she won in her direction of our Senior Play.

DR. HAROLD T. LOWE

Superintendent of Schools

1948 - 1949

MR. ARTHUR J. MOTT, Principal

Do not fear the loneliness of integrity. As an individual you count more than you may think. The world is but a reflection of what people are within themselves.

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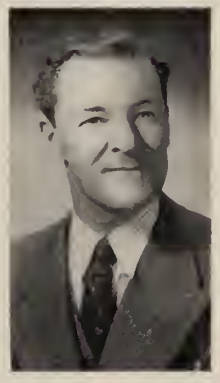

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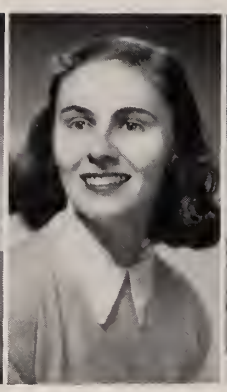

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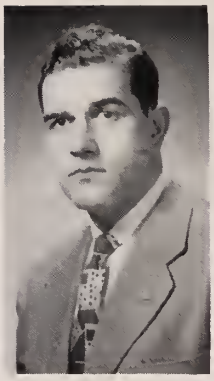

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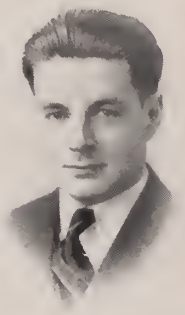

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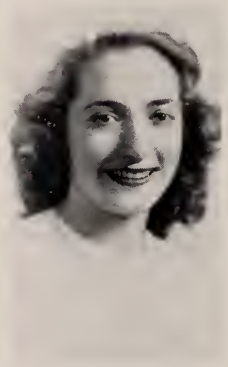


Miss Ann Lobdell
Physical Education

SENIORS

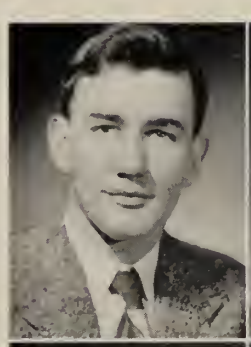
Senior Class Officers

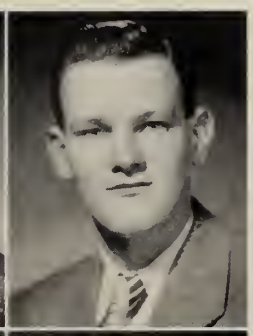
President	Gerard Achin
Vice President	Beverly White
Secretary	Elaine Corrigan
Treasurer	Robert LaRocque

GERARD ACHIN
"Frenchie"

Ambition: To be an engineer
Football 2, 3, Captain 4
Class President 3, 4
Exhibition 1
Senior Play Advertising Committee
Senior Play Program Committee
Boys' State Representative
Good Government Representative
Year Book Staff (Co-Editor)
Senior Play Stage Committee

"Doing good is the only certainly happy action of a man's life."





RICHARD BAIER
"Richie"

Ambition: To be a successful salesman of some large concern
Football 1, 2

"A right judgement draws us profit from all things we see."

NORMAND JOSEPH ACHIN
"Norm"

Ambition: To be a success

"What sweet delight a quiet life affords."

LAURA JANE BAKER
"Laura"

Ambition: To be a Successful Secretary
Softball 2
Volleyball 2
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Red Cap Collector 1
Gym Exhibition 1
Senior Play Usher 4
Cheer Leader 4
Camera Club 2
Junior Prom Committee 3

"Good cheer is no hinderance to a good life."

ROBERT ANDREWS
"Ben"

Ambition: Who knows
Exhibition 1
Junior Prom Committee 3
Class Statistics 4

"A good name will never wear out, a bad one may be turned: a nickname lasts forever."

JOAN BANNON
"Joan"

Ambition: To be a success
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Gym Exhibition 1
State Music Festival 4

"Laughing cheerfulness throws the light of day on all paths of life."

ELAINE ARSENAULT
Elaine

Ambition: To be a success
Senior Play Usher 4

"A mystery is something of which we know that it is, though we do not know how it is."

CHARLOTTE BASSETT
"Charlie"

Ambition: To be successful in any thing I do
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Usher 4

"True praise is often the lot of the humble."

BERTHA ASH
Bertha

Ambition: To get into Light Opera
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Gym Exhibition 1
Senior Play Usher 4

"Wit is the salt of conversation."

ALVIN BATES
"Al"

Ambition: To join the Navy
Student Monitor 3, 4
Student Council 3, 4
Treasurer Student Council 4
Exhibition 1
Football 2, 3
Yearbook Advertising Committee 4

"To be amiable is to be satisfied with oneself and others."

GORDON BIELECKI

Gordon

Ambition: To be a successful lawyer
Red Cap Collector 3
Student Monitor 3, 4
Student Council 3, 4
Student Court 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Yearbook 4
Student Council Convention 4
Exhibition 1
Graduation Essay

"Always as busy as a bee."

ROBERT BOUTIN

"Bootsie"

Ambition: To become successful
Exhibition 1
Football 1

"Stillness of person is the mark of good breeding."

RAYMOD H. BISHOP

"Bish"

Ambition: To become a sports official
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Football 2
Red Cap Staff 3, 4
Exhibition 1
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4

"Perseverance and audacity usually win."

DAVID MALCOLM BROWN

"Dave"

Ambition: To be a success
Football 2, 3, 4
Baseball 2, 4

"Good humor is one of the best articles of dress one can wear in society."

SYLVIA BLANCHARD

"Syl"

Ambition: Personnel Worker
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 3, 4
Music Festival 2, 3
Forum 4
Exhibition 1
Red Cap 3, 4
French Club 3
Junior Prom Committee 3
Senior Prom Committee 4
Delegate to Girls' State
Senior Play Usher 4
D. A. R. Candidate 4

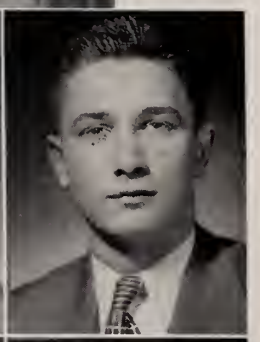
"It's the quiet worker that succeeds."

JOHN BURTON BLIEK

"Johann"

Ambition: To be a mechanic
Football Manager 2, 3
Exhibition 1

"Silence is one of the virtures of the wise."



FRANCIS CAMBRIDGE

"Cambo"

Ambition: To join the Marines
Football 1, 2, 3, 4

"Good nature is stronger than tomahawks."

DORIS BOILLARD

"Dot"

Ambition: To be a nurse
Gym Exhibition 1
Volleyball 2
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Usher 4

"Good humor is the health of the soul."

ELEANOR CASH

"Ellie"

Ambition: To be a Nurse

Exhibition 1
Art Exhibition 4
Camera Club 2
Glee Club 1

"She is richest who is content with the least."

PAUL GUSTAVE CHASE
"P. G."

Ambition: To be a Structural Engineer
Glee Club 2, 4
Camera Club 2
Red Cap Staff 2, 4
Senior Play 4
Forum 4
Yearbook Advertising Staff
Senior Play Advertising Staff

"A man of the world must seem to be what he wishes to be thought."

DONALD C. CHRISTENSEN
"Chris"

Ambition: Steady work at Jewcled Cross Co. and to travel
Student Council 4
Student Monitor 4

"A man's own manner and character is what most becomes him."

ROBERT WILLIAM CLARK
"Clarkie"

Ambition: To be an engineer
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
Student Monitor 3, 4
Student Council 3, 4
Red Cap 2, 3
Co-Editor Red Cap 4
Football 2

"The wise man is he who knows the relative value of things."

ELAINE JUNE CORRIGAN
"Laine"

Ambition: To travel to foreign countries
Class Secretary 2, 3, 4 Exhibition 1
Red Cap Collector 3 Camera Club 2
Student Monitor 4 Red Cap Staff 4
Student Council 4 Lunchroom 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Senior Play Stage Committee 4
Yearbook Business Manager 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Graduation Usher 3

"A good disposition is more valuable than gold."

WILLARD CROSSLEY
"Willie"

Ambition: To be a Structual electrician
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3
Spring Festival 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball Manager 2
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Glee Club 2, 4 Exhibition 2
Biology Club 2 Camera Club 3
Stags 3

"Never a dull moment."

JACQUELINE ANN CROWELL
"Jackie"

Ambition: To graduate from college
Exhibition 1 Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Forum 4 Senior Play Props 3
Monitor 3, 4 Music Festival 2, 3, 4
Red Cap 4 Student Council 3, 4
Convention 4 Art Exhibition 3
French Club 3
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Reporter for the Evening Chronicle 4
Delegate to Student Council
Delegate to Student Council Convention 3
Co-Editor of yearbook 4
Graduation Essay

"The secret of success is constancy of purpose."

JOAN DALEY

Joan

Ambition: To be a nurse
Graduation Usher 3

"A light heart lives long."

LAURETTE MARIE DARGIS

"Retty"

Ambition: To be a success
Basketball 1
Softball 3

"Let us not judge her by her size."

CASPER DARLING
"Cap"

Ambition: To become a successful Musician
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 3, 4
Spring Concert 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Student Council 4
Music Festival 2, 3, 4
Exhibition 1
Monitor 4

"Obedience is the matter of success"

RUTH M. DARLING
"Ruthie"

Ambition: To be an Airline Stewardess
Exhibition 1
Glee Club 4
Spring Concert 4
Senior Play 4

"The two great movers of the human mind are the desire of good and the fear of evil."

PAUL DION

Ambition: To stay happy

"Looks are more expressive and reliable than words."

LORRAINE FRENIER

Lorraine

Ambition: To be a success
Volleyball 1
Library Assistant 4

"Speech is great, silence greater."

SHIRLEY DONALDSON

"Binky"

Ambition: To be a medical technician
French Club 3
Basketball 3, 4
Graduation Usher 4
Senior Play Usher 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Junior Prom Committee 3
Senior Prom Committee 4
Graduation Essay

"Fun and seriousness in the right proportions."

ALLEN ANTHONY GALLOTTA

"Al"

Ambition: Farmer or Politician
Senior Play Stage Committee 4

"The strongest man in the world is the one who stands most alone."

DOROTHY DUNHAM

"Dot"

Ambition: To be a success in whatever I do

"God helps those who help themselves."

VIOLA GANANIAN

"Vi"

Ambition: To become a College Professor of Foreign Languages
French Club Secretary 3
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
State Music Festival 1
Senior Play 4
Valedictorian with Essay

"The love of study supplies each day and hour with perpetual pleasure."

ANN MARIE ECCLES

"Jeanne"

Ambition: To be a successful nurse
Red Cap Collector 1
Exhibition 1
Softball 1
Camera Club 2
Graduation Usher 3
Red Cap Staff 3, 4
Monitor 4
Student Council 4

"Smile and the world smiles with you."

NANCY ABIGAIL GIBEAULT

"Abbie"

Ambition: To be a nurse
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Camera Club 1, 2
Red Cap Collector 1, 2
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Basketball 1, 3, Captain 2, 4
Softball 1, 2
Volleyball 1, 2
Exhibition 1

"A good face is a letter of recommendation."

ELIZABETH ANN FISLER

"Betty"

Ambition: To go to the University of Massachusetts
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 2, 3, 4
French Club 3
Red Cap Staff 4
Co-Editor of Red Cap 4
Graduation Usher 3
Student Usher 3
Forum 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Salutatorian with Essay

"Dependability is a wonderful thing."

DIANE GIRARD

"Diane"

Ambition: To be a successful secretary
Gym Exhibition 1
Graduation Usher 3
Camera Club 2
Junior Prom Committee 3
Red Cap Collector 1

"She who says little has little to answer for."

ELSIE ANN GOLDEN
"Tess"

Ambition: To always be happy
Camera Club 1
Red Cap 2, 4
Volleyball 2
Softball Manager 2
Yearbook 4
Senior Play 4
Exhibition 1, 2

"Something of a person's character can be discovered by observing how she smiles."

BARBARA JOHNSON
"Barb"

Ambition: To go to college
Red Cap Staff 2, 3, 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Student Monitor 4
Student Council 4
French Club 3

"Ambition is the germ from which all nobleness proceeds."

ELEANOR GRIMALDI
"Ellie"

Ambition: To be a success
Red Cap Collector 4
Glee Club 3, 4
Spring Concert 3, 4
Senior Play Usher 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Exhibition 1

"To be deliberate with caution, but to act with decision and promptness."

GEORGE JOHNSON
"Swede"

Ambition: To be successful
Freshman Football 1
Exhibition 1
Football 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4

"The closer we get to the land, the greater our security."

CHARLES HEBNER, JR.
"Charlie"

Ambition: To be an officer in the Navy

"Silence in itself is a virtue."

HERBERT JOHNSON
"Herb"

Ambition: To be a success
Basketball 1
Football 2
Senior Play Stage Committee 4

"A deep heart-felt sincerity is a trait of true and noble manhood."

GWENDOLYN ANN HILLMAN
"Gwenn"

Ambition: To be happy
Red Cap 2, 3
Red Cap Business Manager 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Volleyball 2, 3
Softball 1
Camera Club 2
Volleyball Manager 1
Senior Play 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Class Prophecy 4
Junior Prom Committee 3

"People, like bullets, go furthest when they are smoothest."

LOIS KIRBY
"Lois"

Ambition: To be a success
Student Council 4
Lunchroom 4

"Happiness is the supreme object of existence."

NORMA LEE JANES

Ambition: To be happy
Camera Club 2
Volleyball 3
Basketball 3, 4
Junior Prom Committee 3
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Yearbook Advertising Committee
Red Cap Staff 4

"Vivacity in youth brightens the passing hours."

LOIS KORMAN
"Lo"

Ambition: To be an Airline Stewardess
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4

"Time and I against any two."

JOAN MARIE LABRIE
"Joan"

Ambition: To be a dental hygienist
Yearbook Staff 4
French Club 3
Camera Club 2
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Music Festival 1, 2, 3, 4
Art Exhibition 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Props 3
Senior Play 4
Red Cap Collector 4

"Happiness is like a sunbeam."

DONNA ANN LaROSEE
"Donna"

Ambition: To be a good nurse
Glee Club 1, 2
Graduation Usher 3
Student Council 4
Monitor 4
Spring Concert 2
Forum 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Senior Play 4

"Responsibility walks hand in hand with capacity and power."

JEAN LaFRATTA

Ambition: To be a success

"Modesty and humility are the sobriety of the mind."

CHARLIE LARSEN
"Charlie"

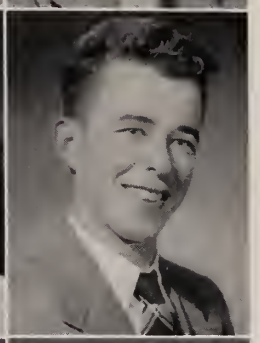
Ambition: To be a great hunter
Class President 2
Student Monitor 3, 4
Football 2.
Exhibition 2
Alternate Representative to Legislature 4
Senior Play 4
Student Council President 4
Red Cap Staff 4

"To know him is to like him."

CECILE LANDRY

Ambition: To be a success

"The surest way not to fail is to determine to succeed."



RICHARD LEARY
"Dickie"

Ambition: To be a Stock Car Driver
Exhibition 1
Senior Play 4

"Persistent people begin their success when others end in failure."

MARY ELIZABETH LANGILLE
"Mary"

Ambition: To be happy

Cheerleader 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Usher 4
Red Cap Collector 2
Junior Prom Committee 3

"Lovely to look at and delightful to know."

ROBERT LEGER
"Bob"

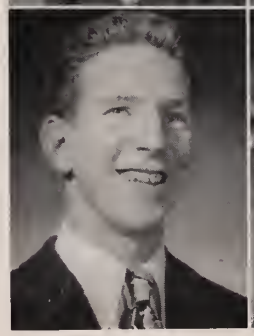
Ambition: To be a Lawyer

"Most powerful is he who has himself in his own power."

ROBERT LaROCQUE
"Rocky"

Ambition: To be a success
Football 2, 3, 4
Baseball 2, 3
Class Treasurer 4
Yearbook Advertising Committee 4
Red Cap Collector 4
Exhibition 1

"To be trusted is the greatest of compliments."



NORMA ARLINE MAIN
"Norm"

Ambition: To travel
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4

"A reputation for good judgment and fair dealing is in itself a fortune."

DOROTHEE M. MERCURE
"Dot"

Ambition: To be a success
Red Cap Collector 1
Monitor 3
Graduation Usher 3
Student Council 3
Senior Play 4
Student Monitor 3, 4

"Opportunity, sooner or later, comes to all who work and wish."

FAE MILLER
"Fae"

Ambition: To become a singer
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain
Volleyball 1, 2
Senior Play 4
Spring Concert 4
Glee Club 4
Exhibition 1

"All musical people seem to be happy."

LORRAINE MORRILL
"Twinkle Toes"

Ambition: To be a success in anything I try to do
Softball 1, 2, 3
Volleyball 1, 2, 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3
Red Cap Staff 4
Senior Play 4
Exhibition 1

"Amid life's quests there seems but one worthy aim - to do men good."

LINCOLN STRAKER NOBLE
"Link"

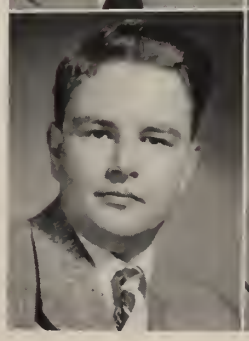
Ambition: To make a million bucks
Jr. Varsity Football 3
Ski Club 1

"He who thinks for himself and rarely imitates is a free man."

ROBERT GEORGE OULLETTE
"Bob"

Ambition: To be a sportswriter
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Exhibition 1

"A man isn't poor if he can still laugh."



JOAN MALINOWSKI
"Joanie"

Ambition: To be a good teacher
Softball Team 2
Basketball Manager 3
French Club Treasurer 3
Graduation Usher 3
Senior Play Usher 4
Yearbook 4
Student Council 3, 4
Exhibition 1
Monitor 4

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

EILEEN MALONEY
"Slim"

Ambition: To become thin
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Camera Club 2
Senior Play 4
Volleyball 2
Softball Manager 2

"In the commerce of speech use only coin of gold and silver."

RICHARD McCRETTON
"Rippy"

Ambition: To be a success
Student Senator Nominee 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 3, 4
Baseball 3, 4

"We should not judge a man's merits by his great qualities but by the use he makes of them."

JOHN McGOWAN
"Jack"

Ambition: To be a sportswriter
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3
Boys' State Representative 3
Exhibition 2

"Full of fun and mischief too, doing things he shouldn't do."

WILLIAM FRANCES McNEIL
"Mickey"

Ambition: To be a sports broadcaster
Football 1, 2
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Red Cap Staff 4

"The cheerful man is king."

JOHN A. POHOLEK, JR.
"Johnny"

Ambition: To see the world
Exhibition 1
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Football 2
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4

"We that may hinder mischief yet permit it, is an accessory."

MARTIN S. RYAN, JR.
"Marty"

Ambition: To be a successful businessman
Glee Club 4
Exhibition 1
Student Council Delegate 4
Student Court 4
Stage Committee 4
Student Monitor 4

"No thoroughly occupied man was ever yet miserable."

DONALD JOHN POIRIER
"D. J."

Ambition: To be a success
Class Treasurer 2
Exhibition 1

"Don's a boy on whom we depend For fun and wit and laughs without end."

DANA EDWARD SANFORD
"Dana"

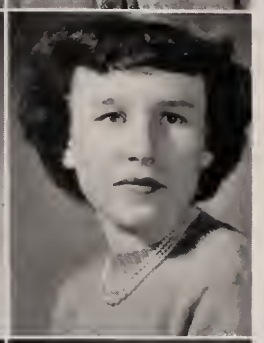
Ambition: To be a success

"Progress is the activity of today and the assurance of tomorrow."

MADELYN LOUISE RICE
"Maggie"

Ambition: To be a housewife

"It is the wise head that makes the still tongue."



BEVERLY SEYMOUR
"Bev"

Ambition: To be a child's nurse
Senior Play 4

"Good manners and good morals are fast friends and sworn allies."

MARILYN ROBERTSON
"Lyn"

Ambition: To be a medical technician
Glee Club 3, 4
Spring Concert 3, 4
Graduation Usher 3
Basketball Manager 3
Softball Manager 3
French Club 3
Red Cap Staff 4
Art Exhibition 1, 2, 3
Forum 4
Senior Play Props 3
Senior Play Usher 4
Yearbook Staff 4

"Silent and well-behaved never any trouble gave."

WINIFRED ELLEN STRONG
"Wini"

Ambition: Graphic Artist
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Exhibition 1
Art Exhibition 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2
Volleyball 2, 3
Softball 2, 3
Student Council 4
Red Cap 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Yearbook 4
Senior Play Props 4

"A good laugh is sunshine in a house."

HARRIET RUSHLOW
Harriet

Ambition: To be a nurse
Exhibition 1
Camera Club 1
French Club 3
Red Cap Collector 2
Senior Play 4

"Rain is wet, dust is dry, life is short, so am I."

PAUL LIVINGSTONE TAYLOR
"Paul"

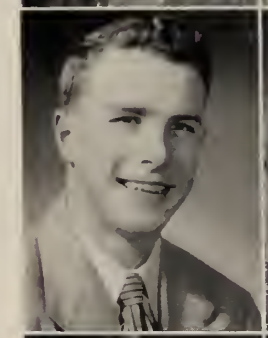
Ambition: To be a success
Exhibition 1
Football Manager 2, 3
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Red Cap 3

"Our opportunities to do good are our talents."

JEANINE THERIAULT
"Jeanine"
Ambition: To be an Airline Hostess
Softball 1, 2
Volleyball 2, Manager 3
Glee Club 1
Spring Concert 1
Red Cap Collector 3
Gym Exhibition 1
Junior Prom Committee 3
Camera Club 2
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Class Gifts 4
"It is by wit and vivacity that one shines in company."

ROBERT E. THOMAS
"Bob"
Ambition: To have a successful Navy career
Student Council 4
"A wise reticence is one of the great lessons of life."

WILLIAM AUSTIN CLEMENT THORPE
"Bill"
Ambition: To get the most out of life
Football 3, 4
Junior Prom Committee 3
Senior Prom Committee 4
"Good nature and eveness of temper will give you an easy companion for life."



NOELLA CELIA TREMBLAY
"Noel"
Ambition: To be a success
Glee Club 1
Spring Concert 1
Junior Prom Committee 3
Graduation Usher 3
Head Usher Senior Play 4
Red Cap Staff 4
Yearbook Staff 4
"The style, whether in speaking or writing shows the woman."

RONALD PRECOURT
"Ronnie"
Ambition: To be a Freshman again
Assistant Basketball Manager 2
Baseball Manager 2
Glee Club 1, 2
Senior Play 4
Red Cap Staff 4
"Dare to do your duty always: this is the height of valor."

BARBARA WALSH
Barbara
Ambition: To be a Dental Hygientist
Exhibition 1 Volleyball Manager 2
Glee Club 2 Camera Club 2
Basketball Manager 2, 3
Student Monitor 4
Student Council 3, Vice President 4
Head Graduation Usher 3
Red Cap Staff 4
Library Assistant 4
Forum 4
Student Council Convention 4
"Life has no blessing like a true friend."

JANET PATRICIA WEYGAND
"Jan"
Ambition: To be a success in whatever I undertake
Red Cap Collector 1
Basketball Manager 1
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Festival 2, 3, 4
Class Vice-President 2, 3
Drum Major 2, 3, 4
Senior Play Advertising Committee 4
Graduation Usher 3 Exhibition 1, 2
Red Cap Staff 4 Yearbook Staff 4
"Personality is a sure step to success."

BEVERLY WHITE
"Bev"
Ambition: To be happy
Exhibition 1 Basketball Manager 2
Volleyball 2 Student Monitor 4
Camera Club 2 Graduation Usher 3
Glee Club 3, 4 Spring Concert 3, 4
French Club 3 Yearbook Staff 4
Red Cap 4 Senior Play 4
Student Council Secretary 2
Student Council Convention 4
Class Vice-President 4
"True popularity is not the popularity which is followed after but the popularity which follows after."

SHIRLEY WHITE
"Shirl"
Ambition: To be a success
Glee Club 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 2, 3, 4
Lunchroom 4
"Of plain, sound sense, life's current coin is made."

LORRAINE WRIGHT
"Dimples"
Ambition: To be a success
Cheerleader 2, 3, (4 Head)
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Spring Concert 1, 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
French Club 3
Exhibition 1
Red Cap Staff 2, 3, 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Camera Club 2
"My riches consist not in the extent of my possessions but in the fewness of my wants."

Class Flowers

Red and White Roses

Class Colors

Maroon and White

Class Motto

Education is the Apprenticeship of Life.

Class Ode

Music by
Lois Korman

Words by
Laura Jane Baker

With sadness in our hearts
Of memories now gone by,
First lesson now fulfilled,
We bid farewell, North High.

May these years be a guide
In everything we do,
May we meet with success,
We leave with loving thoughts of you.

As we attain our final goal,
Striving ever to progress,
Always mindful that we owe
Everything to N. A. H. S.!

May these years be a guide
In everything we do,
May we meet with success,
We leave with loving thoughts of you.

CLASS HISTORY

Janet Weygand William McNeil

IN the year "1945" the Atomic Bomb was discovered, but that was nothing compared to the Atomic Bomb Mr. Mott discovered when the class of "1949" entered the halls of N. A. H. S.

We, like our predecessors, entered into this great edifice and faced the same program. We, however, did not act the same. It was evident to everyone that we had that certain something that is necessary for a great class - a something called oomph. Beyond the shadow of doubt we were (THE) class.

Due to circumstances known to all, we were unable to elect class officers our first year in high school, thus having a very quiet freshman year.

There was one lone member of our class on the gridiron this year. That was our star quarterback Allan MacDonald, who, incidently, played on the baseball diamond and basketball court too.

We entered school the following September with much ridicule upon the *meek* Freshmen. As our leaders this year we chose, Charles Larsen, President; Janet Weygand, Vice President; Donald Poirier, Treasurer; and Elaine Corrigan, Secretary.

On March 8th we held our first event in North Attleboro High School, and a very successful one, a dance, namely "The Spring Frolic". Everyone who attended felt that we had tried very hard to make a complete success of our first activity in school.

On the gridiron this year we were represented by Allan MacDonald, Gerard Achin, and Robert LaRocque. On the baseball diamond we had Allan MacDonald. Fighting on the basketball court Rippy McCretton, John Coyle, and Allan MacDonald showed some excellent ball playing.

Less we forget the weaker sex during our Sophomore year, we had on the basketball court Abbie Gibeault, Bea Paquin, Bertha Ash, Doris Boillard, and Janet Weygand as Manager of the team.

It was September 8, 1948 and 8:10, and we now as upperclassmen were ready to start our third year in our education. We named as our executive officers this year, Gerard "Frenchie" Achin as our President; for a second term as Vice President, Janet Weygand our Treasurer, Bernard Doyle, and for a second term also, Elaine Corrigan, Secretary. With such capable officers to guide us we were set for an exciting and prosperous year to come.

On the gridiron this year we had Robert LaRocque, David Brown, Fred Desilets, William Thorpe, Gerard Achin, Alvin Bates, George Johnson, John McGowan, Francis Cambridge, Richard McCretton and Allan MacDonald. On the basketball court we had Raymond Bishop, Robert Clark, William McNeil, Russell Meyer, John McGowan, John Coyle, and John Pohelek.

In girls' basketball we had Barbara Walsh, Manager; Abbie Gibeault, Doris Boillard, Ella Charron, Gwen Hillman, Bertha Ash, Fay Miller, and Shirley Donaldson. We were represented on the cheering squad by Lorraine Wright, who cheered our boys through thick and thin.

On the Red Cap Staff this year we had Betty Fisler, Barbara Johnson, Eileen Maloney, Gwen Hillman, Elsie Golden, and Jean Eccles.

After hearing the preceding paragraphs you must be assured that we really set down to business during our Junior year. The last and most important thing that occurred was our Junior Prom. On May 30th the cars were zooming up to the front steps of N. A. H. S. bringing all the belles and their beaus to the greatest event of the year. The gym was gayly decorated to fit the occasion. An unforgettable spring scene was used as the main attraction. A grand time was had by all who attended, and no class could ask for a better prom.

We now were the upper crust. We were seniors at last. Under the capable supervision of Gerard "Frenchie" Achin, as president for a second term, Beverly White, as vice president, our star halfback Robert LaRocque, as Treasurer, and Elaine Corrigan for a third term as Gerard's *private, private,* secretary, we were destined for a successful last year in school.

Prominent in this season's football squad were Gerard Achin, Captain; Robert LaRocque, Allan MacDonald, Fred Desilets, Francis Cambridge, William Thorpe, David Brown, John McGowan, George Johnson, and Rippy McCretton. On the basketball court the only seniors were William McNeil, Raymond Bishop, and Rippy McCretton. On the baseball diamond playing for the red and white were Rippy McCretton, Robert Ouellette, and Robert Clark.

In girls' basketball we had Abbie Gibeault and Shirley Donaldson. In volley ball there was Jeanine Theriault, Norma Janes, and Gwen Hillman.

On February 16, 1949 we held our Senior Play in the High School Auditorium before an appreciative audience. Unlike other classes before us, we held Three One Act Plays entitled, "Mother Knows Everything", "Buddy Goes Literary", and The Bracelet of Doom". Many thanks are expressed to Miss Mary Talty and Miss Marie Scanlon for doing such a fine job of directing.

On the eve of April 16, 1949, we held our Senior Prom in the High School Gym. The gym was decorated very exclusively for this festive affair. Everyone who attended enjoyed themselves immensely.

On the Red Cap Staff this year we had Robert Clark, Betty Fisler, Paul Chace, Sylvia Blanchard, Janet Weygand, Raymond Bishop, William McNeil, Lorraine Wright, Norma Janes, Eileen Maloney, Noel Tremblay, Barbara Walsh, Beverly White, Elsie Golden, Jean Eccles, Barbara Johnson, Shirley Donaldson, Jackie Crowell, Marilyn Robertson, Elaine Corrigan, and Charles Larsen.

In the orchestra, there are quite a few graduating members. They include Joan Labric, Joan Bannon, Viola Gananian, Willard Crossley, Casper Darling and Jackie Crowell.

In the band this year there was Casper Darling and Willard Crossley.

Now that you have heard all the historical events of the past four years, we, the class of "1949", leave, much to the sorrow of Mr. Mott, (A.J.) to us, and the faculty of N. A. H. S. Perhaps we won't be remembered as the most brilliant class to enter North High, but it can never be said that we lacked originality.

So in closing this Class History, Micky and I would like to say in our own original manner, "thanks" to everyone, from everyone in this graduating class. We really hate to leave.

CLASS WILL

Sylvia Blanchard Robert Clark

WE, the Class of 1949, as members of North Attleboro High School, in the town of North Attleboro, County of Bristol, State of Massachusetts, do make, publish, and declare this as and for our last will and testament - that is to say:

We give, devise, and bequeath, to the Class of 1950 the privilege of paying our debts, if any there be.

To the Class of 1951, we leave the torch to carry on the fight to have outsiders at their school dances.

To the Class of 1952, we bequeath 95 magnifying glasses, so that they may find the new Freshman class more easily than we found them.

Personal bequeaths are as follows:

GERARD ACHIN bequeaths his popularity to Peter Dean.

BEV WHITE leaves her title of "Most Popular Girl" to Pat Welch.

ELAINE CORRIGAN leaves her title of "Best All Around Girl" to Pam Straker.

BOB LAROCQUE leaves his title of "Best All Around Boy" to Allan Spencer.

GWEN HILLMAN leaves her title of "Smoothest Girl" to Nancy Garland.

WINI STRONG bequeaths her strength to her sister, Helen.
"Live-Wire" D. J. POIRIER leaves his title of "Liveliest Boy" to Allan England.

ABBIE GIBEAULT leaves her title of "Most Athletic Girl" to Dora Messier.

ELSIE GOLDEN leaves for the unknown in her smoke-filled Huddy.

MARTIN RYAN bequeaths his seriousness to Howard Mason.

ELEANOR CASH, JOAN DALY, and DIANE GIRARD leave together, headed for the Sturdy Hospital, but to work, not as patients.

ALVIN BATES leaves in his handsome convertible.

LAURA BAKER bequeaths her title of "Cutest Girl" to Mary Macentier.

HERBIE JOHNSON leaves for Goldbug's to look for a new car - or maybe we'd just better say a car.

BEN ANDREWS leaves his title of "Most Bashful Boy" to Beryl Knowles.

JANET WEYGAND leaves her title of "Most Congenial Girl" to Betty Andrews.

BOB OULETTE leaves his ability to dodge work to Joe Levis.

ROBERT THOMAS leaves Nancy Dunham behind him - but he wishes he could take her with him.

DANA SANFORD leaves with his roller skates slung over his shoulder.

BARBARA WALSH bestows her title of "Most Serious Girl" on Pat Feid.

NOEL TREMBLAY, we see, is coiling up her line; she must be leaving, too.

BOB LEGER leaves, with DINKIE and RALPH, for "The Hollow".

MARY LANGILLE bestows her title of "Best-Looking Girl" on Barbara Hunt.

ANITA BURKE bequeaths her title of "Neatest Girl" to Elaine Taylor.

JEANINE THERIAULT leaves her title of "Liveliest Girl" to Mary Ellen Rhind.

PAUL TAYLOR leaves for Wally's, which he will soon take over and change to "Paully's".

BARBARA JOHNSON leaves her French ability to some struggling Sophomore who needs it.

JOHN BLIEK leaves to pick up Paul at Paully's and then to head for the latest show at the Valley.

LAURETTE DARGIS, LORRAINE MORRILL, and JOAN BANNON leave together for Attleboro and happiness.

JOHN POHOLEK leaves his title of "Cutest Boy" to Charlie Sullivan.

JOAN MALINOWSKI leaves for Franklin, humming the tune to "Oh, Johnny, Oh, Johnny!"

DONNA LAROSEE stays - just to keep the kids in the upstairs corridor quiet and in line.

BERTHA ASH leaves to join the Metropolitan Opera. Got a couple of extra tickets, Bertha?

ELAINE ARSENAULT and RUTH DARLING leave for Wamsutta Drug to whip up some sodas.

WILL CROSSLEY leaves his title of "Most Talkative Boy" to Bruce Jones.

DOROTHEA MERCURE leaves for Hollywood to make a sequel to the "Snake-Pit". Ah - such talent.

FAE MILLER leaves to take up voice lessons at the Music Conservatory in Boston.

DICKY LEARY leaves his title of "Best Dressed Boy" for his brother Don to pick up.

BETTY FISLER leaves her title of "Most Ambitious Girl" to Barbara Totten.

EILEEN MALONEY leaves her gift of gab to any poor, shy, Freshman who might need it in an embarrassing moment.

JACK McGOWAN leaves his title of "Best Boy Dancer" to that Fred Astaire of the Junior Class, John Bevilaqua.

JEANNE LAFRATTA leaves her title of "Most Bashful Girl" to Barbara Shairier.

DONNIE CHRISTENSEN leaves to join his brothers.

PAUL DION bequeaths his good looks to Owen James.

CECILE LANDRY leaves her dark, shining hair to Brenda Campbell.

GEORGE JOHNSON leaves, still apologizing to Miss Washburn.

NORMA JANES leaves her dancing ability to Barbara Weygand.

ALLEN GALLOTTA leaves to work on his Plymouth.

VIOLA GANANIAN leaves her title of "Smartest Girl" to Marilyn Asher.

NORMAN ACHIN leaves as quietly as he came.

LORRAINE WRIGHT leaves - in her Olds convert. 'Nuff said - that lucky girl.

GORDON BIELECKI leaves his brains to Robert Funke - boy, Gordon'll have a tough time without his brains, but that's what it says here.

LOIS KORMAN leaves for home to write a letter to a certain Bob in the Coast Guard.

RONNIE PRECOURT leaves his friendliness to Johnnie Thorpe.

SHIRLEY WHITE leaves the cash register - she can't take it with her.

DAVE BROWN leaves his wit to anybody who might want it.

NORMA MAIN leaves to pilot Linc Noble through a happy life.

LOIS KIRBY leaves for Hollywood to prompt Tyrone Power in his new picture.

CHARLIE HEBNER leaves his title of "Boy Most Likely To Succeed" to Jeff McEnroe.

HARRIET RUSHLOW leaves to join the Army - to look for Bob.

BILL THORPE leaves to follow his brother into Pro-Football.

JOAN LABRIE leaves her ability to knit those swell argyles to her sister, Ellen.

CHARLOTTE BASSETT leaves to make some dough - in Flagg's.

BEVERLY SEYMOUR leaves for her native land, India - because Mr. Treadwell's been murdered.

ROBERT BOUTIN leaves in a cloud of dust, on his scooter-bike.

ANN ECCLES, with ELEANOR GRIMALDI, leave for France - we hear they've got some interest over there, but I couldn't pronounce his name.

PAUL CHASE leaves in the Ford convertible - Marilyn's right beside him, of course.

RIPPY McCRETTON leaves his athletic ability to Gordon Bates.

RAY BISHOP and BILLY McNEIL leave for the News Bureau - of course, we all know why.

SHIRLEY DONALDSON leaves to become a laboratory technician.

WILLIAM DOWDING leaves his ability to do physics to Marc Nault.

DORIS BOILLARD leaves her red locks to Jackie Beach.

CHARLIE LARSEN leaves to pan gold in Peru, or is it British Columbia, Chuck?

MADELYN RICE and DOROTHY DUNHAM leave Miss Bergner's history class when the bell rings, as usual.

FRANCIS CAMBRIDGE leaves for Woonsocket to take up permanent residence.

DICK BAIER leaves for the Falls to run the store - we'll all be down for free sodas, Dick.

JACKIE CROWELL, better known as J. C., leaves for Radcliffe, and those Harvard men we've been hearing about.

CASPER DARLING leaves his height to that Empire State Building of the Sophomore Class, George Gundrum.

LORRAINE FRENIER leaves so quietly that we almost forgot her.

And, now, we better leave before we're thrown out.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hand and seal this twenty-second day of June, in the year nineteen hundred and forty-nine.

CLASS PROPHECY

Gwenn Hillman and Paul Dion

THE recent publication of a book entitled "Four Years at North High" or "I Did It the Hard Way" has caused quite a stir among the literary world. The author, PAUL DION, is now having dinner with his secretary, "GWEN" HILLMAN.

"It's been a long time, hasn't it Paul, since we were classmates together at N. A. H. S.?"

"Yes, I wonder what the rest of the Class of "49" is doing now."

Well, the last I heard DIANE GIRARD was still working at Memorial Hospital.

I understand DONNIE CHRISTENSEN is now a big wheel at Jeweled Cross.

WILLIAM DOWDING is now the traffic control officer at Logan Airport in Boston.

DOT BOILLARD is now living at Newport News and is a perfect Navy wife since Barry decided to become a "20-year man."

"Dave" Brown is still farming on Hoppin Hill but he whizzes to town every Saturday night in his jealopy.

ANITA BURKE recently opened her specialty shoppe, featuring hand-knitted Argyles.

"FRANNIE" CAMBRIDGE has joined "COOT" COYLE in the Navy. "Coot" and "Cambo" are admirals on the U.S.S. Lifeboat.

ELEANOR CASH, when last heard from, was living in Plainville.

DICKIE LEARY recently opened his fur salon. LORRAINE WRIGHT and SHIRLEY DONALDSON are modeling Dickie' latest creations.

ROBERT LEGER is now the head chef at the Hotel Hixon.

"BEN" ANDREWS has continued on his bashful way since graduation.

BETTY FISLER and BARBARA JOHNSON returned to North Attleboro as full-fledged school teachers.

DONNA LAROSEE is the United States delegate to the United Nations.

CHARLIE LARSEN has opened a business establishment in Woonsocket.

ABBIE GIBEAULT, our Most Athletic Girl, is the new gym teacher at Pawtucket West.

VIOLA GANANIAN is the principal of an exclusive girls' school in Connecticut.

GEORGE JOHNSON is still aggravating people.

JOAN LABRIE just opened a gift shop in North Attleboro.

CECILE LANDRY is happily married, as is JEAN LAFRATTA.

JOHN BLIEK and PAUL TAYLOR, when last heard from, were still together.

WINI STRONG is the art teacher in the schools of North Attleboro and nearby villages.

CASPER DARLING is now playing his bass fiddle in the Boston Pops Symphony Orchestra.

DOROTHEE MERCURE did so well in the Senior Play that she decided to become an actress. She's doing very well at it, too.

Achin Construction Company, under the supervision of competent GERARD ACHIN, recently completed a newer, more modern Liggett's Drug Store. We understand JACK McGOWAN is to be the manager.

I saw LAURETTE DARGIS the other day in a new Buick. Even in high school Laurette had a weakness for Buicks.

RICHARD BAIER has remained active in Scouting. When last heard from, he was holding an executive position in Boston.

CHARLOTTE BASSETT has settled down and is happily married to Herbie Ellis.

GORDON BIELECKI is not satisfied with a successful law practice but is now running for Congress.

We are not heard much from SYLVIA BLANCHARD but with her personality, Sylvia would be a success in anything she undertook.

LINCOLN NOBLE is now the ski instructor at Diamond Hill.

NORMA MAIN was recently named as one of the ten best-dressed women in America.

ELSIE GOLDEN liked Boston University so much that she decided to stay after graduation as a personal secretary to the Dean.

NORMA JANES has signed as a dancing partner to Gene Kelly. Their next show opens on Broadway next week.

JEANINE THERIAULT just returned from Paris where she has been gathering ideas for the costumes of Norma's new show.

BOB LAROCQUE is coaching the Townies' Football team. "RIPPY" McCRETTON is playing for the Townies.

"WILLIE" CROSLEY, our Most Talkative Boy, is employed by Alvin as his best high-pressure salesman.

In order to make some of his cars run, ALVIN had to hire ALLEN GALLOTTA. ALLEN is the mechanic in charge of rebuilding some of the wrecks.

DANA SANFORD is the producer of a new show, the "Roller Follies", starring MADELYN RICE and DOTTIE DUNHAM.

JANET WEYGAND with her sparkling personality, is now President of Jeweled Cross.

LOIS KIRBY is now the manager of the local "Five and Ten".

MARY LANGILLE, our Best Looking Girl, was recently voted "Miss Massachusetts" of 1955.

HERBIE JOHNSON bought a new car for five dollars and five hundred Ivory Soap coupons.

JOAN BANNON is doing very well for herself, playing the violin in Phil Spitalny's All Girl Orchestra.

BILLY McNEIL and RAY BISHOP are sports-writers for the Record. McNeil is covering the Braves' team while "Bish" is following the Red Sox.

PAUL CHACE just finished building the perfect "dream house". One of its nicest fixtures is Marilyn.

FAE MILLER just completed a two-week engagement at Boston Symphony Hall. BERTHA ASH starts her two-week stand on the first of next month.

ELAINE ARSENAULT and RUTH DARLING have opened their own ice cream shoppe. "The Sugar Bowl".

JOHNNY POHELEK recently bought a new car to take Elaine Corrigan riding in.

Since graduating from North High, NORMAND ACHIN has joined the rest of the family and is now a full-fledged mechanic at Achin's Garage.

You remember that "Cute" little car (?) ALBIN BATES used to drive to school? Well he is now a used-car dealer and some of his antiques actually run.

BEVERLY SEYMOUR is still working at V. H. Blackinton's along with RONNIE PRECOURT.

ANN ECCLES, HARRIET RUSHLOWand JOAN DALY are now nurses helping to preserve the health of America.

Blond "JACKIE" CROWELL is still at Radcliffe getting more degrees.

ROBERT CLARK, after his performance in the Senior Play went to Hollywood and may be seen in "Death Comes to Dinner". He is the second corpse in the picture.

LORRAINE MORRILL, ELEANOR GRIMALDI, LORRAINE FRENIER, and SHILEY WHITE are very efficient secretaries employed by the business men of North Attleboro.

BEVELY WHITE, after graduating from Bryant, became the "private" secretary of one, Mr. Peter Dean.

CHARLIE HEBNER is now the manager of First National.

EILEEN MALONEY is giving driving lessons to students of Attleboro High School.

"BOB" OUELLETTE has taken over the job of Lou Costello.

MARTIN RYAN is organizing a state-wide Student Council, with BARBARA WALSH acting as his secretary.

We didn't hear much from ROBERT THOMAS while he was in school and we have heard even less since he graduated.

LAURA BAKER is the "private" secretary to the president of Doyle Carpet Company.

ROBERT BOUTIN is still riding around on his scooter bike.

"DON" POIRIER, to the best of our knowledge, is still enjoying life—doing nothing.

WILLIAM THORPE has taken over the job of Boris Karloff.

JOAN MALINOWSKI is now the French teacher at North High.

NOEL TREMBLAY is now living in Oklahoma.

CLASS STATISTICS

Abigail Gibeault and Robert Andrews

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on WINIFRED STRONG the title W.G.—Wittiest Girl.

Because of his ability to get along with others we give DONALD CHRISTIANSEN the title of F.B.—Friendliest Boy.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on PAUL DION the title B.L.B.—Best Looking Boy.

Because of the way she acts in the corridors we dub DONNA LAROSEE T.M.—Typical Monitor.

If you have ever seen ELSIE GOLDEN'S walk, you will understand why we give her the title G.W.T.W.—Girl With The Walk.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on NORMA JANES the title B.G.D.—Best Girl Dancer.

Because of his long legs and lanky walk we give GEORGE JOHNSON the title of C.F.—Class Farmer.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on PAUL CHACE the title S.B.—Smoothest Boy.

For reasons known to all we bestow on EILEEN MALONEY the title M.T.G.—Most Talkative Girl.

By a unanimous vote of the girls we bestow on BEN. ANDREWS the title of M.B.B.—Most Bashful Boy.

Because we never see Paul without John we give PAUL TAYLOR the title of J.C.C.—John's Constant Companion.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on RICHARD McCRETTON the title of M.A.B.—Most Athletic Boy.

Because of her charming and graceful ways we bestow on SHIRLEY DONALDSON the title of C.L.—Class Lady.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on JANET WEYGAND the title of M.C.G.—Most Congenial Girl.

By popular vote of the girls we acclaim GORDAN BIELECKI the title of S.B.—Smartest Boy.

Because of his faithful work at the First National we bestow on DANA SANFORD the title of C.S.—Class Salesman.

Because "Bish" is always arguing with "Mickey" about who's the better team, the Sox or Bums, we give RAYMOND BISHOP the title of C.S.R.—Class Sox Rooter.

Because of her sweet voice we dub FAE MILLER C.S.—Class Songbird.

Because of his clever comebacks we give DAVID BROWN the title W.B.—Wittiest Boy.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow upon LORRAINE WRIGHT the degree of B.D.G.—Best Dressed Girl.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow upon BEVERLY WHITE the title of M.P.G.—Most Popular Girl.

Because of his ability to tell jokes, we give ROBERT LEGER the title of C. C.—Class Comedian.

By unanimous vote of the boys, we bestow on LAURA BAKER the degree of C.C.—Cutest Girl.

By popular vote of the girls, we bestow upon GERARD ACHIN, the title of M.P.B. Most Popular Boy.

Because he is constantly chauffeuring his friends around in his car, we dub HERBERT JOHNSON the title of C.C.—Class Chauffeur.

By popular vote of the boys, we give NOEL TREMBLAY the title of G.W.T.B.L.—Girl With The Best Line.

Because of her constant giggling, we bestow on LORRAINE MORRILL, the title of G.G.—Gayest Girl.

Because of his faithfulness to the band and orchestra, we give CASPER DARLING the title of C.M.—Class Musician.

By popular vote of the girls, we bestow on CHARLES LARSEN the title of M.C.B. Most Congenial Boy.

By popular vote of the boys we acclaim ABIGAIL GIBEAULT, M.A.G.—Most Athletic Girl.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on FRANCIS CAMBRIDGE the title of B.W.T.B.L.—Boy With The Best Line.

By unanimous vote of the boys, we bestow upon MARY LANGILLE the title of B.L.G. Best Looking Girl.

Because of her size we bestow on DOROTHY DUNHAM the title of P.G.—Petite Girl.

Because HARRIET RUSHLOW is waiting for that certain someone in the Army we bestow on her the title of C.A.G.—Class Army Girl.

Because she is always leaving gym early to go to the cafeteria we bestow on SHIRLEY WHITE the title of M.L.P.C.—Miss Lobdell's Problem Child.

Because of his appearance at all time we bestow on LINCOLN NOBLE the title of N.B. —Neatest Boy.

Because she is always on the go we bestow on JEANINE THERIAULT the title L.G.—Liveliest Girl.

Because she is appealing to the eye (Link's especially) we bestow on NORMA MAIN the title of M.A.G.—Most Attractive Girl.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on JACK McGOWAN the title of B.B.D.—Best Boy Dancer.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on GWENN HILLMAN the title of S.G.—Smoothest Girl.

Because of his undying devotion to his work we bestow on ROBERT CLARK the title of M.A.B.—Most Ambitious Boy.

By unanimous vote of the girls we bestow on DONALD POIRIER the title of L.B.—Liveliest Boy.

Because Barbara has a thorough knowledge of all books we dub BARBARA JOHNSON C.S.—Class Student.

Because of her extended employment at Flagg's Bakery we give to CHARLOTTE BASSETT the title of C.S.G.—Class Sales Girl.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on ANITA BURKE the title of N.G.—Neatest Girl.

Because of his serious attitude towards life we give MARTIN RYAN the title of M.S.B.—Most Serious Boy.

Those who have seen Alvin in his new car will understand why we give ALVIN BATES the title of C.H.R.—Class Hot Rod.

Because we never know where he is, we bestow on ROBERT BOUTIN the title of C.P.C.—Class Problem Child.

Because all he talks about is sports we give WILLIAM McNEIL the title of C.S.E.—Class Sports Enthusiast.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow upon JEAN LaFRATTA the title of M.B.G.—Most Bashful Girl.

Because of his enormous physical stature we give ALLAN GALLOTTA the title C.T.—Class Tarzan.

Because PAUL'S interest is in Marilyn and Marilyn alone we give her the title P.O.A.O.—Paul's One and Only.

Because we never hear much from him, we give NORMAND ACHIN the title Q.B.—Quietest Boy.

Because we have not heard much from her in her four years at N.A.H.S., we dub ELAINE ARSENAULT C.M.G.—Class Mystery Girl.

Because we have not heard from her in her four years and have seen and not heard her we bestow on ANN ECCLES the title Q.G.—Quietest Girl.

Because of the great part she played in the Senior Play, we acclaim DOROTHEE MERCUE, C.A.—Class Actress.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on BOB LAROCQUE the title B.A.A.B.—Best All Around Boy.

Because she has done so much for her class, Red Cap and Yearbook we bestow on JACQUELINE CROWELL, M.H.G.—Most Helpful Girl.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on JOHN POHOLEK the title C.B.—Cutest Boy.

Because of her friendly manner we give ELAINE CORRIGAN the title B.A.A.G.—Best All Around Girl.

Because she has had highest honors almost every term in her four years at N.A.H.S. we bestow on VIOLA GANANIAN the title of S.G.—Smartest Girl.

As everyone will understand, we give to CECILE LANDRY the title of C.M.—Class Model.

Because of his industrious manner, we bestow upon CHARLES HEBNER the title of B.M.L.T.S.—Boy Most Likely To Succeed.

Because of her serious outlook on life we bestow upon BARBARA WALSH the title of M.S.G.—Most Serious Girl.

Because of the color of her hair, the boys dub DORIS BOILLARD, G.W.T.H.T.—Girl With The Hot Top.

By popular vote of the boys we bestow on BETTY FISLER the title of M.A.G.—Most Ambitious Girl.

Because of her sense of humor we bestow on BERTHA ASH the title of B.N.G.—Best Natured Girl.

Because he has not been with us long and he is new to us we bestow on BILL DOWDING the title of C.M.M.—Class Mystery Man.

By unanimous vote of the boys we give to SYLVIA BLANCHARD the title of G.M.L.T.S.—Girl Most Likely To Succeed.

Because he is Miss Barber's official flag holder we bestow on JOHN BLIEK the title of C.F.H.—Class Flag Holder.

Because she always has a joke to tell we bestow on JOAN BANNON the title of C.C.—Class Clown.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on WILLARD CROSSLEY the title of M.T.B.—Most Talkative Boy.

Because she is constantly helping out in the office we bestow on BEVERLY SEYMORE the title of C.O.H.—Class Office Helper.

By popular vote of the girls we bestow on DICKIE LEARY the title of B.D.B.—Best Dressed Boy.

Because she has a friendly word for everyone we bestow on JOAN MALINOWSKI the title of F.G.—Friendliest Girl.

Because she is always found outside of town we bestow on ELEANOR CASH the title C.O.O.T.G.—Class Out Of Town Girl.

Because he is always found tinkering around machines we bestow on RICHARD BAIER the title of C.M.—Class Machinist.

Because she sees the movies every time they change we bestow on ELEANOR GRIMALDI the title of C.M.F.—Class Movie Fan.

Because he is the constant companion of a certain Sophomore girl we bestow on ROBERT THOMAS the title of C.C.S.—Class Cradle Snatcher.

Because she is usually found working in the lunchroom we bestow on LOIS KIRBY the title of C.C.—Class Cashier.

Because he is forever playing baseball we bestow on ROBERT OULETTE the title of C.B.P.—Class Baseball Player.

Because she is usually found taking care of her niece every afternoon we bestow upon JOAN DALY the title of C.B.S.—Class Baby Sitter.

Because Ronnie always has a smile for everyone, we give RONALD PRECOURT the title of E.B.T.G.A.W.—Easiest Boy To Get Along With.

For reasons known only to certain senior boys we bestow upon JOAN LABRIE the title of O.G.—Our Girl.

Because of her weekly appearance at the Rollerway we give DIANE GIRARD the title of Q.O.T.R.—Queen Of The Rollers.

Because she acts natural we bestow on LAURETTE DARGIS the title of M.N.G.—Most Natural Girl.

Because she is forever getting Mrs. McNulty's advice mixed up we give LOIS KORMAN the title of M.M.P.C.—Mrs. McNulty's Problem Child.

Because whenever there is something to do, Bill is there to help, we give WILLIAM THORPE the title of B.A.W.T.H.—Boy Always Willing To Help.

CLASS GIFTS

Jeanine Theriault and Donald Poirier

AS customary every year about this time, we give you lucky seniors tokens of appreciation for completing four years at North High.

ELSIE GOLDEN—To Elsie, that driving sensation from far away Allens Ave., we give these glasses to wear while driving.

FRANCIS CAMBRIDGE—To "Wolf-Man Fran", we give this new line, he has already worn out his others so many times.

PAUL DION—To "Digbe", we give this coffin to remind him of his nickname, also a promissory note signed by all the seniors to give him their business in the future years.

LINCOLN NOBLE—To "Link", the ray of sunshine in Norma's life, we give a flash-light so that he won't get lost trying to find her house.

CASPER DARLING—To "Cappy", we give this lubricating oil to loosen up his joints so he can move more swiftly.

BERTHA ASH—To Bertha, queen of Franklin Avenue, we give this club so she may still rule her territory.

CHARLES HEBNER—For his outstanding performance in the Senior Play, we give "Hebby" a contract signed by Miss Talty to return next year for a part.

BEVERLY WHITE—To "Bev", we give this permit signed by the *Dean* to take a P.G. course next year.

JOHN BLIEK—To John, we give this bottle of glue so that he and Paul Taylor may always stick together.

JOAN LABRIE—To Joan, we give this box of crayons to help with her drawing.

ELAINE ARSENAULT—To Elaine, we give this bell because she is so quiet. In this way, we will know when she is around.

FAE MILLER—To "Fae", our smallest girl, we give these growing pills invented by Kate Smith.

CECILE LANDRY—To "Cile", we give this little *Oscar* to substitute when the other isn't around.

BARBARA WALSH—To "Barb", we give this One-Way Ticket to Boston University to help her reach Don quicker.

ROBERT LEGER—To "Buster", we give these odorless cigarettes, so that when a teacher is around they won't smell his daily indulgence.

DONNA LAROSEE—To Donna, we give this permit from Mr. Mott to come back next year to supervise the Student Council.

ABIGAIL GIBEAULT—To "Abbie", our most athletic girl, we give this degree from Miss Lobdell, to teach girl's basketball at Pawtucket West High. *We knew you'd get a charge out of that!*

ROBERT ANDREWS—To "Ben", our most bashful boy we dedicate this song from a senior girl - the delegate will now take over, and now we give you this tube of lipstick to remind you of your blushes of Class Day.

MADELYN RICE—To "Maddie", we give this box of tapiocca because everybody thought we would give her a box of *Rice*.

JANET WEYGAND—We give Janet this bottle of sparkling water, so that the sparkle of her personality will never run out.

NORMA MAIN—To Norma, we give this chain, so if there is ever a break in her romance, although we hope there never is, she will be able to find the missing *Link!*

WINI STRONG—To "Wini" the witty-wizard of our wayward class, we give this sharpener so that her sense of humor will never grow dull.

VIOLA GANANIAN—To "Vi", we give this degree by Miss Barber to return next year to help in teaching English.

MARILYN ROBERTSON—To "Marilyn", we give this intoxicating perfume so that Paul may always (*Chace*) her.

DIANE GIRARD—To Diane, we give this noise-maker, because of her quiet retiring manner. Ring it Diane.

DORIS BOILLARD—To "Dot", we give this book entitled "Methods of Handling A Navy Man", in case Barry gets tough.

LORRAINE WRIGHT—Because Lorraine is our best dressed girl, we give this outfit to add to her wardrobe.

ELAINE CORRIGAN—To "Elaine", we give this record entitled, "Oh Johnnie", so she can play it nights when she is alone.

ALLEN GALLOTTA—To "Allen", we give these razor blades. We think he might have mislaid his own.

RUTH DARLING—To "Ruth", we give this card of membership to the Sprinster's Club, so she will always be a Darling!

ROBERT OUELLETTE—To "Bob", the comedian of Room 16, we give this audition to be on the Bob Hope show.

BEVERLY SEYMOUR—To "Bev", we give this card of "Thanks" from Lydia, for all the work she has done in the office.

ROBERT CLARK—To "Bob", we give this permit to be editor of the well known scandal sheet, the Daily Record, because of his untiring efforts on the "Red Cap".

MARTIN RYAN—To "Marty", our most serious boy, we give this joke book, so that he may enjoy the other side of life.

PAUL TAYLOR—To Paul, we give this needle and thread, for he will always be a tailor (*Taylor*).

ELEANOR GRIMALDI—To "Elly", who has a smile for everyone, we give this toothpaste so she can dazzle Eddie.

JOAN DALY—To Joan, we give the key to the J. J. Newberry's.

NORMAND ACHIN—To "Norm", who never seems to make much noise in school we give this whistle so we will know when he is around.

CHARLOTTE BASSETT—To Charlotte, we give this key to the "Wonder World of Sweets", *Flagg's Bakery*.

WILLIAM DOWDING—Seeing that "Bill" hasn't been attached to dear N.A.H.S. very long, we give this permit to have any senior girl show him the hot spots of North Attleboro.

SHIRLEY WHITE—To "Shirl", our out of town girl, we give this banner of North to remind her that there is such a place.

LAURA BAKER—To Laura Jane, one of our sweetest girls, we give this honey, so that she may always stay sweet.

LOIS KORMAN—To "Lois", we give this thimble in case she missed her bus, so then she can always thumb home.

LORRAINE MORRILL—To "Lorraine", who is always dashing from one man to another, we give her this rope so she can keep one tied down.

LAURETTE DARGIS—To "Laurette", we give this flashy convertible to remind her of her pleasant memories.

DAVID BROWN—To "Dave", our wittiest boy, we give this picture of Miss Washburn to remind him of the charming afternoons spent in her company.

ANNE ECCLES—To "Anne", we give this megaphone so we may hear her.

JOHN POHOLEK—To Johnnie, our cutest boy, we give a bag of kisses, donated by the senior girls.

DOROTHY MERCURE—To "Dot", we give this address book so she can keep the names of local boys, if she should ever return to home talent.

PAUL CHACE—To "Paul" that dashing romeo, we give this pamphlet on "Easy Ways To Drive With A Girl In The Car." Will that help Marilyn?

ANITA BURKE—To "Nita", we give this box of ginger bread mix, made by the *Duff* company.

RICHARD LEARY—To "Dick", the "King of the Muskrats", we give this trap so that he may capture women instead of skunks.

ROBERT THOMAS—To "Bob", we give this cradle, we hope he doesn't rob this one.

JOAN MALINOWSKI—To "Joan", we give this telescope, so she won't strain her eyes looking for Johnny.

GWENDOLYN HILLMAN—To "Gwenn", our smoothest girl, we give this picture of Vaughn Monroe, so she will know that there are other nice-looking singers besides "Moe" Moore.

NORMA JANES—To "Norma", we give this permit to operate Millie's Car.

GERARD ACHIN—To "Our Great Class President", we dedicate this poem.

When there is work to be done he helps us.
His jokes he shares with us too.
But don't let him fool you, if you knew what we do!
There is no mention of the nights! WHOOOO! WHOOOO!

HARRIET RUSHLOW—To "Harriet", we give this nurse's cap in order that she may get a head start in her chosen career.

ALVIN BATES—To "Ahoo", we give back his dime to put towards a new "1950" Ford.

DANA SANFORD—To "Dana", we give this book entitled, "Rachcal and the Stranger", to remind him of the first time he cast his eyes upon her.

MARY LANGILLE—To "Mary", our best looking girl, we give this B I L L for reasons known to all.

ELEANOR CASH—To "Elly", we give these bus tickets to Plainville in case she ever runs out of *Cash*.

DOROTHY DUNHAM—To "Dot", queen of the rollers, we give her this oil so her skates will never get *Rusty*.

WILLIAM THORPE—To "Bill", we give this card of congratulation. He actually made the grade.

WILLIAM McNEIL—To "Mickey", we give this book entitled "How to be a Bum". A Brooklyn Dodger Bum that is.

RONALD PRECOURT—To "Ronnie" we give this certificate for ten easy lessons on how to play the piano from Barbara Shairer.

CHARLES LARSEN—To "Charlie", we give this interest of 11% in that theatre in Boston which he frequently attends.

NOELLA TREMBLAY—To "Noel", we give this edition of "How *Green* Was My Valley", to read during those lonely nights in Alaska.

WILLARD CROSSLEY—To "Willie", we give permission to take a P.G. next year to join Harvey Gay and his buddies.

SYLVIA BLANCHARD—To "Syl", whom we have never seen angry, we give this book entitled "Ten Easy Ways To Lose Your Temper" written by Noel.

JOAN BANNON—To "Joan", we give this *Swing* for reasons known to all.

JEAN LAFRATTA—To Jean, our most bashful girl, we give this real classy veil to hide her feminine blushes.

BETTY FISLER—To "Betty", we give this toothpaste, so she will always keep her pleasant smile.

HERBERT JOHNSON—To "Herb", we give this wave set, so that he may always favor us with those curly locks.

ROBERT LAROCQUE—To "Bob", we give this dime so that he may say he made *some* profit handling the senior class money.

RICHARD McCRETTON—To "Rippy", the pride and joy of the Falls, we give this book on "How to Poison Your Customers", to be used at the Falls' Night Club, Edna's Cottage.

ROBERT BOUTIN—To "Bob", we give this question mark, that's all we do know about him.

SHIRLEY DONALDSON—To "Shirley", who has wonderful poise, we give this spring, so that if someday she throws her shoulders too far, they will snap back.

BARBARA JOHNSON—To Barb, we give this dictionary, so that she can understand the words she uses.

RAYMOND BISHOP—To "Bish", we give a comb and brush, so he can always keep his hair in trim.

DONALD CHRISTENSEN—To "Donnie", we give these super vitamin pills so his energy will never fail.

LOIS KIRBY—To "Lois", we give this pen and pencil set so she may always keep in touch with her favorite teacher - Miss Talty.

EILEEN MALONEY—To "Slim", Anne's companion in crime, we give this book entitled "How To Reduce" so she may attain her life-long ambition.

GEORGE JOHNSON—To "George", the trouble maker of "49", we give these bars to be installed on his windows, so he will feel at home after he leaves here.

RICHARD BAIER—To "Rich", that congenial salesman from the Falls, we give a permit to take a day off from the Falls Shopping Center.

GORDON BIELECKI—To "Gordon", we give this report card with all D's and E's, so he will know what the rest of us got all year.

LORRAINE FRENIER—To "Lorraine", who seems to be fond of sandwiches, we give her this Hot Western to remind her of *George*.

JACQUELINE CROWELL—Seeing that "Jackie" is a beautiful pianist, we give her permission to play with the Boston Pop's Symphony Orchestra.

JOHN McGOWAN—Seeing that "Jack" is a hardworking soda-jerk, we present him with an assistant (female) from Attleboro.

JEANINE THERIAULT—To Donnie, I give this boot for making such a horrible mess of the Class Gifts.

DONALD POIRIER—It's Mutual Dearie—

(We hope you will take these in the spirit of fun they were intended.)

SUPERLATIVES

Most Popular Girl	Beverly White
Most Popular Boy	Gerard Achin
Best All Around Girl	Elaine Corrigan
Best All Around Boy	Robert LaRoeque
Most Congenial Girl	Janet Weygand
Most Congenial Boy	Charles Larsen
Girl Most Likely to Succeed	Sylvia Blanchard
Boy Most Likely to Succeed	Charles Hebner
Smartest Girl	Viola Gananian
Smartest Boy	Gordon Bielecki
Most Athletic Girl	Abbie Gibeault
Most Athletic Boy	Richard McCretton
Best Looking Girl	Mary Langille
Best Looking Boy	Paul Dion
Cutest Girl	Laura Jane Baker
Cutest Boy	John Poholek
Smoothest Girl	Gwenn Hillman
Smoothest Boy	Paul Chace
Best Dressed Girl	Lorraine Wright
Best Dressed Boy	Richard Leary
Most Bashful Girl	Jeanne LaFratta
Most Bashful Boy	Robert Andrews
Most Talkative Girl	Eileen Maloney
Most Talkative Boy	Willard Crossley
Neatest Girl	Anita Burke
Neatest Boy	Lincoln Noble
Most Serious Girl	Barbara Walsh
Most Serious Boy	Martin Ryan
Best Girl Dancer	Norma Janes
Best Boy Dancer	Jack McGowan
Liveliest Girl	Jeanine Theriault
Liveliest Boy	Donald Poirier
Girl With the Best Line	Noel Tremblay
Boy With the Best Line	Francis Cambridge
Wittiest Girl	Winifred Strong
Wittiest Boy	David Brown
Most Ambitious Girl	Betty Fisler
Most Ambitious Boy	Robert Clarke
Quietest Girl	Jean Eccles
Quietest Boy	Normand Achin

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FOOTBALL

Despite the return of ten seasoned veterans from the 1947 squad, the Red Rocketeers found the opposition listed on this year's schedule overwhelmingly powerful as evidenced by the no-win - one scorcless tie this season out of ten games played.

It was definitely established at the Fall River Jamboree in September that the Red Rocketeers were destined to be the outweighed and the out-numbered ball club of South Eastern Massachusetts. However, the challenge did not discourage the Rocketeers and against apparently insurmountable odds in every contest the boys gave a good account of themselves.

Indicative of the type of ball they displayed is the fact that Captain Gerard Achin was named on the Greater Boston All Scholastic Team and Red MacDonald and Francis Cambridge received recognition from the Bristol County Official "All" Team.

Prominent in the season's activity from the Senior Class were:

Gerard Achin, Robert LaRocque, David Brown, John McGowan, William Thorpe, Francis Cambridge, Allan MacDonald, Richard McCretton, Fred Desilets, and George Johnson.

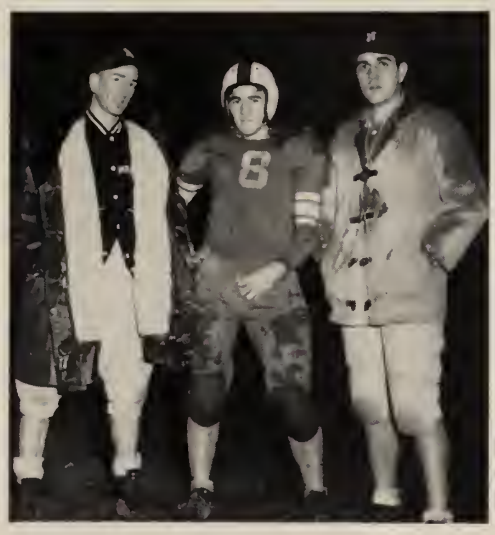
To these boys and their capable coaches, Mr. Salvati and Mr. Coakley, who gave their all for N.A.H.S., we say "thanks", and we sincerely hope that next year's team will be able to avenge the defeats of the past season.

FOOTBALL

Seniors - John McGowan, George Johnson, Robert LaRocque, Francis Cambridge, Gerard Achin, Captain; David Brown, Richard McCretton, and Allan MacDonald.

1949 Schedule

September 11	Fairhaven (Jamboree)
September 23	Uxbridge
October 2	Walpole
October 9	Norwood
October 16	Middleboro
October 23	Milton
October 30	Canton
November 6	Mansfield
November 13	Franklin
November 25	Attleboro



Assistant Phillip Coakley Coach Ralph Salvati
Capt. Gerard Achin

BASKETBALL

Creating an unimpressive record, the Red Rocketeers of 1949 went down to defeat after defeat gallantly fighting the top-heavy odds. Hampered by a lack of height on the varsity squad, they met their opponents as a decided underdog.

With every team having the advantage of height and experience, the North quintet came up with the unimpressive record of one win, twelve defeats. Their lone victory came over Franklin at the home gym in the middle of the season. This game was the only one when the Rocketeers really clicked with good shooting and a sharp defensive.

Throughout the year, the team played well on the defense but lacked the coordination of team work on their offense. The shooting at times left much to be desired.

Although they lost to the Tech-Tourney bound Blue Bombardiers, the Rocketeers held them to a low score and outfought them most of the way.

Captain Rippy McCretton at forward and Billy McNeil at guard were the only seniors who played first string in basketball this year.

BASEBALL

The Red Rocketeers broke camp and headed north after their spring training in April. The Rocketeers faced a tough fifteen game schedule featuring home and away games with such teams as Coyle, Mansfield, Franklin, Stoughton, Attleboro, and Walpole.

Coach Ralph Salvati carried a seventeen man squad. The pitching staff consisted of five hurlers: Bob Clark, the mainstay of the staff pitching his third season; Walt Main in his second season and three rookies, Moe Everton, Charles Sullivan, and Richard Breed, up from the farm clubs.

Chuck Morrill and Franny Cambridge were set to do the catching, with Bob Shaw at third, Owen James at short, Dinky Childs at second, and Jimmy Shaw and Bruce Jones at first, to round out the infield.

Dave Brown, Rippy McCretton, Charles Schmidt, Norman LaRocque, and Robert Vandal held the outfield assignments.

The four men who have played their last years of baseball with the Rocketeers are Bob Clark, Franny Cambridge, Dave Brown, and Rippy McCretton.

ATHLETIC AWARDS

1927	Lemuel McDonald	Dr. Marvel
1928	Joseph McCabe	Donald LeStage
1929	Raymond Hart	Fred Sturdy
1930	Paul Johnson	Harry Fisher
1931	Robert Batchelder	Donald Barrows
1932	Sumner Joslin	Wallace Kenyon
1933	Harry Barber	Lester Holbrook
1934	Samuel Scott	John E. Tweedy
1935	Maurice Fournier	Frank Kelly
1936	Hubert Rice	William Ryder
1937	Arthur Greene, Jr.	Howard Ballou
1938	Harold Hall	Russell Rhodes
1939	Chester Bodinski	James Totten
1940	Gordon Fied	Jarvis Hunt
1941	Lawrence Kennedy	Marcus Ralston
1942	Robert Leiper	Lester Holbrook
1943	Edward Bodinski	Hon. Joseph W. Martin, Jr.
1944	No cup was awarded	
1945	No cup was awarded	
1946	Edward Dean	Donald LeStage
1947	Robert Cook	Gerald Riley
1948	Herbert Ciolfi	John Blackinton

COMMITTEE OF AWARD

Charles Martin Arthur J. Mott Donald LeStage, Sr.

N. A. H. S.

Athletic Cup

GIRLS BASKETBALL

The girl's basketball team has progressed very rapidly since it started here at N. A. H. S., and this year's team looked forward to a promising season when a large group of enthusiastic girls appeared to take part in the ever popular sport. Practising diligently, the girls were determined to make their team a success, but due to the many cancellations they only had the opportunity to take part in four games. These few hardly gave the girls a chance to show their capabilities.

The team started off its season rather unsuccessfully by losing two successive games to Plainville, the first by a score of 33 to 21 and the second by 18 to 13. However, the following game with Norton somewhat encouraged the players as they came up with a 13 to 10 victory. This gave the team hopes that perhaps they had received the start that they needed, and they would be more successful in their future attempts. However, they were doomed for a disappointment, for at the following game they met defeat at the hands of Foxboro, a team far more experienced than North.

Although the season was rather short and unsuccessful this year, the team has some very promising young players and high hopes for the success of next year's team.

The only seniors on the team were Captain Abbie Gibeault and Shirley Donaldson, both forwards.

ACTIVITIES

ORCHESTRA

The High School Orchestra under the capable direction of Mr. John H. Bronson has enjoyed a very successful year.

Although not large in number, the music makers have overcome this handicap and have provided excellent musical entertainment throughout the year.

Music by the orchestra was furnished for special assembly periods, the Student Council Convention, the Senior Play, and Spring Concert. The musical units have also journeyed this year to the Spring Festival at New Bedford to receive their musical rating. Music has also been provided for Class Day and graduation exercises.

The selection of orchestral arrangements has been unusually good this year and listeners have praised orchestra members with their appreciative applause.

The ranks of the orchestra will greatly miss the talents of the senior members, Jacqueline Crowell, piano; Viola Gananian, Joan Bannon, violin and Joan Labrie, flute.

BAND

If you hear strains of beautiful music resounding through the corridors of N.A.H.S., you will know the band is diligently practicing to "wow" the home folks at the Spring Concert and to earn for themselves a good rating at the festival. The boys have done a swell job this year and we are all very proud of them.

The band can boast of only two Senior boys this year. They are, Casper Darling and Willard Crossley, who have both been members for four years.

Drum Majorettes

Through the mud and tears they won through! Our four drum majorettes who worked so hard under the leadership of our own Janet Weygand deserve high praise for the way they "strutted their stuff" for N. A. H. S. They really outdid themselves at the Turkey Day game and they made a fine showing when they accompanied the band to the festival at New Bedford.

GLEE CLUB

The North Attleboro High School Glee Club enjoyed another successful season. Even though the enrollment of boys was small this year, the talent among the group greatly outweighed this handicap.

Under the capable leadership of its director, John H. Bronson, the group sang a varied program at the Annual Spring Concert to a very appreciative audience.

Mr. Bronson was assisted by Miss Sylvia Blanchard who acted as accompanist for the group and Miss Louise Mandell who was the group's efficient secretary.

We were happy to see that so many Freshmen were interested in becoming members of the Glee Club this year and feel sure that they will be able to fill the places left vacant by the graduating members.

The voices of the following Seniors will no longer be heard every Tuesday morning throughout the halls of N.A.H.S.: Fae Miller, Bertha Ash, Lois Korman, Betty Fisler, Janet Weygand, Wini Strong, Beverly White, Elaine Corrigan, Joan Bannon, Shirley White, Cecile Landry, Charlotte Bassett, Eleanor Grimaldi, Sylvia Blanchard, Marilyn Robertson, Lorraine Wright, Paul Chace, Casper Darling, and Willard Crossley.

RED CAP

This year's "RED CAP" had two editors, Robert W. Clark and Betty Fisler. Assisted by many able reporters and hard working collectors several successful editions were published. The Seniors themselves, and even the underclassmen, were amused by the Senior Personality Chart.

The co-editors selected as their business managers, Charles Larsen and Gwendolyn Hillman and its reporters, Paul G. Chace, Sylvia Blanchard, Janet Weygand, Raymond Bishop, William McNeil, Lorraine Wright, Elaine Corrigan, Lorraine Morrill, Norma Janes, Jean Eccles, Noel Tremblay, Barbara Johnson, and Jacqueline Crowell.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council has been especially active this year. Charles Larsen was chosen President while Barbara Walsh became Vice President with Beverly White and Alvin Bates serving as Secretary and Treasurer respectively.

The North Attleboro Student Council was privileged to play host to the Southeastern Branch of Student Councils at their fall convention held on November 17. Committees were chosen who tended to the details.

North Attleboro High School sent as its delegates, Barbara Johnson, Donna LaRosee, Peter Dean, and Robert Shaw to the Spring Convention held in Taunton on April 6.

The Student Council held many successful dances this year. Especially enjoyed was the "Sadie Hawkins' Day Dance".

At their regular meeting held every Wednesday morning in the library the Student Council outlined the plans for many of the affairs to be held during the year.

Members of the Student Council who are graduating are Charles Larsen, Barbara Walsh, Beverly White, Alvin Bates, Barbara Johnson, Donna LaRosee, Joan Malinowski, Jacqueline Crowell, Betty Fisler, Elaine Corrigan, Lois Kirby, Dorothy Mercure, Martin Ryan, Robert Clark, Robert Thomas and Casper Darling.

STUDENT MONITORS

The Student Monitors were backed up in their crusade for law and order, in the corridors this year by the Student Court. Gordon Bielecki and Barbara Walsh were in charge of all monitors.

Gordon Bielecki also became Judge of the Court assisted by Donna LaRosee who served as Clerk of the Court. Other Senior members serving on the jury were Barbara Johnson, Joan Malinowski, and Martin Ryan. Punishments were metered out according to the crime committed. The Court became so efficient that student monitors were allowed at the regular sessions held on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Now that the Student Court has been revived, we hope that our efforts have not been in vain but will serve as an incentive for future enforcement of Student Government.

Monitors graduating this year are: Gordon Bielecki, Barbara Walsh, Donna LaRosee, Barbara Johnson, Joan Malinowski, Martin Ryan, Charles Larsen, Robert Clark, Betty Fisler, Jacqueline Crowell, Elaine Corrigan, Beverly White, Alvin Bates, Robert Thomas, Casper Darling, Jean Eccles and Dorothy Mercure.

SENIOR PLAY

Wednesday, February 16, 1949 marked the fated night when the Senior actors and actresses displayed their stage talents. This year's dramatic presentation was made up of three one-act plays instead of the usual longer three-act play. The plays in the order of their presentation were "Mother Knows Everything", "Bracelet Of Doom", and "Buddy Goes Literary".

"MOTHER KNOWS EVERYTHING"

The audience laughed uproariously as Tommy Coyne (Richard Leary) sought advice from his mother (Eileen Maloney) as to how he should make a romantic proposal to his girl friend Marion Hearn (Gwenn Hillman). So well does Mrs. Coyne take care of the whole proposal of marriage that Marion is finally won over and all ends happily.

"BRACELET OF DOOM"

The "Bracelet Of Doom" - (gulp) was a mystery that held the audience in - suspense! As the scene opens, Valerie Ames (Ruth Darling), Audrey Ames (Harriet Rushlow), her younger sister, and Theresa Ames (Dorothy Mercure), their Aunt, are grieving the mysterious murder of Mr. Ames. A second murder, that of Dr. Haven (Charles Hebner) who had discovered the cause of the murder, grips the family who fear for their lives. The appearance of Edward Carrington (Robert Clark) who demands to conduct business concening Mr. Ames adds to the mystery. To further increase the chilling atmosphere of mystery, the two Zanies (Fae Miller and Beverly Seymour) enter and finally reveal the significance of a poisonous bracelet. Suspicion is pinned first on one person, then another while Theresa Ames gives way to a violent case of hysterics. Finally Geraldine Brenton (Donna LaRosee) that cool-headed attorney-at-law, unravels the mystery. It is Barry Dexter (Paul Chace) who is the murderer and who had attempted to run off with the bracelet.

SENIOR PLAY

"BUDDY GOES LITERARY"

To relieve the tension (proof that the "Bracelet of Doom" was excellent) the third play, a comedy was presented. This play centers about Buddy (Charles Larsen) who neglects his studies and whose poetic tendencies get himself, his sister Pen (Lorraine Wright), and his father Mr. Williams (Charles Hebner) into hot water. The trouble begins when Buddy confuses a love note Pen has written to Butch (Ronald Precourt) with a letter from his father on business to Judith Storm (Viola Gananian) and, oh, what trouble does arise. Meanwhile Mrs. Williams (Elsie Golden) is trying to keep peace in the household while Debby, Buddy's younger sister (Beverly White) is trying to stir more trouble up. At this point Agatha Tombs (Joan Labrie) and Mrs. Masterson, Chairman of the National Poets of America (Lorraine Morrill) arrives to congratulate Buddy on winning first prize in a poetry contest. All is straightened out and the Williams family is happy once more.

Lois Kirby and Elaine Corrigan as promptors and John Poholek, sound effects man aided in making the play a success.

The class of 1949 thanks Miss Talty for her tireless efforts in directing our dramatizations. Also thanks are extended to Mr. John Bronson and his orchestra for furnishing such fine music.

Congratulations are in due order for these talented actors and actresses for their fine performance. Thanks, kids, you were swell.

"MOTHER KNOWS EVERYTHING"

"BRACELET OF DOOM"

"BUDDY GOES LITERARY"

CHEERLEADERS

This year as well as other years our cheerleaders in their snappy uniforms of red and white battle jackets led the basketball and football teams through thick and thin.

The head cheerleader this year was Lorraine Wright who began her cheering career as a sophomore. The others in the group were Laura Baker, Mary Langille, seniors, and Shirley Adams, Barbara Hunt, and Barbara Weygand, juniors.

1950

Having re-elected Peter Dean as President of the Junior Class, we will now relate some of the highlights which our class contributed to the year "1949".

Election of class officers was held in October. Those elected were: President, Peter Dean; Vice President, Helen Strong; Secretary, Jane Lynch; and Treasurer, Donald Leary.

This year's football team was represented by the following juniors: Joe Levis, Peter Dean, Damon Swistak, Jack Coyle, Bruce Jones, and "Red" Bates.

We all want to congratulate Shirley Adams, Barbara Hunt, and Barbara Weygand for the fine job of cheering they did at the football and basketball games.

On the basketball court this year we had "Red" Bates, Donald Childs, and Jack Coyle.

Betty Andrews, Pam Straker, and Rita Eastman certainly deserve praise for the fine showing they made at the Spring Festival as well as the football games and various parades in which they participated as drum-majorettes.

Junior Class Officers

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1951

President.....Harvey Gay
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Sophomore Class . . .

This year's Sophomore Class has been very active and well represented in athletics. After they had elected Harvey Gay, President; Lorraine Powers, Vice-President; Mildred Stack, Secretary, and Allen Spencer, Treasurer, they went on to hold a highly successful dance on March 14th. In accordance with Saint Patrick's Day it was called "The Shamrock Shindig", and the gym was beautifully decorated in green and white. Entertainment was furnished by Joan Murphy and Sylvia Chilli.

The Sophomores on the football field were Morris Everton, Norman LaRocque, George Baier, Harvey Gay, Donald Doyle, George Razee, Alan Spencer, Lawrence Benson, and Owen James.

On the basketball court were Owen James, Donald Doyle, Harvey Gay, Austin Morrill, and Charles Joyce.

Our sophomore girls on the basketball team were Beatrice Greco, Paula Precourt, Mary Ellen Rhind, Joan Bishop, Doris Seymour, Joan Murphy, Janet Hill, and Beverly Chandler.

Freshman Class . . .

The Freshman Class has been ably led throughout the year by Robert Gilmore, President; Patricia Leary, Vice-President; Richard Temple, Treasurer, and Margaret Pepper, Secretary. They have also been well represented on the football field by Robert Gilmore, Richard Breed, George Chretien, and Robert Hall. Richard Temple, Charles Sullivan, Charles Schmidt, Robert Gilmore, Richard Breed, Rocco Armelli, and Robert Grosse served on the Basketball Team, while Gloria and Gladys MacDonald served the girl's team.

1952

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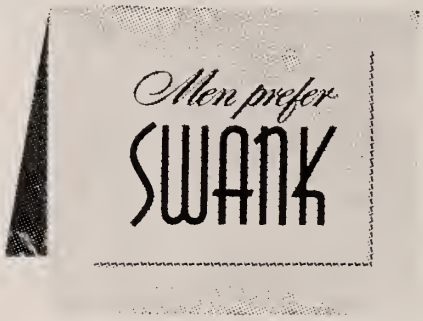

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